PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Chen, et al.)
	Examiner:Stephens, Jacqueline F.
Serial No.: 10/036,736)
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i lied. December 21, 2001)) Deposit Acct. No.: 04-1403
Title: Sponge-Like Pad Comprising Paper)
Layers and Method of Manufacture) Client ID: 22827

AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sirs:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 16, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in view of the following:

<u>Amendments to the claims</u> begins on Page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on Page 13 of this Response.